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SENATE ENGROSSED NO. **SB 60** - 01/27/2015

Introduced by: The Committee on Health and Human Services at the request of the
Department of Health

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide newborn screening of inherited and genetic
2 disorders.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 Section 1. That § 34-24-17 be amended to read as follows:

5 34-24-17. ~~All infants~~ Each infant born in the State of South Dakota shall be screened for
6 metabolic ~~disease~~, inherited, and genetic disorders. This screening shall be as prescribed by the
7 ~~State~~ Department of Health.

8 Section 2. That § 34-24-18 be amended to read as follows:

9 34-24-18. The tests for detecting a metabolic disorders, inherited, or genetic disorder of the
10 newborn infant, as prescribed by the Department of Health, shall include, ~~but not be limited to,~~
11 the testing for excessive phenylalanine in the serum of the newborn, for hypothyroidism, and
12 for elevated blood galactose in the newborn.

13 Section 3. That § 34-24-22 be amended to read as follows:

14 34-24-22. ~~When~~ If tests for detecting a metabolic ~~disease, inherited, or genetic disorder~~ other
15 than phenylketonuria, hypothyroidism, and galactosemia are perfected, the Department of



1 Health may require that tests for the syndrome or syndromes be made and reported to the health
2 department.

3 Section 4. That § 34-24-23 be amended to read as follows:

4 34-24-23. Results of ~~such the~~ tests for a metabolic disorders, inherited, and genetic disorder
5 in infants, as prescribed by the Department of Health, shall be sent to the department on forms
6 to be prescribed and furnished by the department to all physicians, ~~public health nurses,~~ and
7 hospitals.

8 Section 5. That § 34-24-24 be amended to read as follows:

9 34-24-24. ~~It shall be the responsibility of the~~ The Department of Health ~~to shall~~ follow the
10 development of all children carrying the syndrome of any metabolic ~~disease, inherited, or~~
11 genetic disorder to ensure that ~~those persons~~ each person responsible for the care of the child
12 ~~are~~ is fully informed of accepted medical procedures for the detection, ~~prevention,~~ and treatment
13 of ~~such the~~ condition.